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Part B for September 1927.

SUBJECT

Succession to Sri Avanashi Math, Mulbagal

G.O. No. 530-33
Revs 29.9.27

To the Mog. Comr
Rev
Comptr to Govt.
Supdt R S & S.

Appointment of the succession of Vid. M. S. Krishnaswamy to the vacant Headship of Sri Avanashi Math.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

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File No. 268 / 1926.

FILE HEADING.

Nomination of a Successor to Sri Avani Matt in The Mulbagal Taluk.

From

The Inuzrai Commissioner,

No. C.1226 Dated 21.2.1926 Received

Diary No. 1185	Enclos. -	Spare Copies.	Serial No. 1

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER.

Reports with ref. to G.O. dt 21.1.27, that The System of Selection by Consulting individual gentlemen has not been very successful and is of opinion that The object will be best served by inviting applications and making a Selection from among the applicants,

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and Solicits orders to publish a notice in the official Gazette and in Some of the news papers both in and outside the State, the charges being met from the Matt funds.

1) The connected files are submitted

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2) The M.C's letter explains the facts of the case.

3) Fwd. Secty's order on the Comr's "Submit to II d member for and at once"

4) Submitted

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5) Submitted for orders

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(Hon'ble Member)

6) The attempt to select a candidate for the vacant Peeta in consultation with some of the respectable disciples of the Mutt has also proved unsuccessful. As observed by the Muzrai Commissioner, a committee has again to be constituted for advising Government in choosing a Brahmachari for the headship of the Mutt.

7 The Muzrai Commissioner's proposal is to publish a notice in the Gazette inviting applications and entrusting the consideration of the applications received to a committee. It does not appear to me to be advisable to invite applications from all sorts of persons. After all, the choice has to fall upon a Brahmachari who belongs to a respectable orthodox family and who gives promise of becoming a man of learning and of character. Information in regard to cadidat fulfilling these conditions can only be obtaine from

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persons on whose words we can rely and there is no object, therefore, in publishing a general invitation to all persons to ~~xx~~ apply for the place.

8) I think that a new committee may be const tuted and it may be requested to obtain information in regard to Brahmacharis likely to be foun suitable, interview them and then make a final recommendation to Government. The Committee may consist of five members with the Muzrai Commissioner as the Chairman and the members may be as under:-

(1) Either Mr. Virupaxa Sastry or Mr. Vaidyanatha Sastry, as an eminent pandit whose advice in regard to the choice of a person for the headship of a Mutt would be most valuable.

(2) Four gentlemen who are disciples of the Avani Mutt of whom, if possible, two may be vaidiks and two lowkiks.

9) The Deputy Commissioner of Kolar may be required to make enquiries through some functionary of the Mutt as to who are the more prominent of the disciples of the Mutt— not necessarily members of the Velnad community — and send to th Muzrai Commissioner a list of about 20 names of such disciples and from among these the Muzrai Commissioner may propose for the approval of Government four names.

10) The Committee thus constituted may ~~make~~ such enquiries as they consider proper for obt

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obtaining ~~xxxxxxx~~ information in regard to suitable condidates, send for them, examine t h e i attainments, and, make a recommendation to Government as to who might be selected.

(1) No better method of making the selection suggests itself to me and with this opinion I forward, with compliments, the case to the Third Member who will deal with Muzrai questions in my absence.

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Third Member)

(2) The course suggested above maybe adopted Please put up a draft.

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OFFICE OF THE
7 MAR. 1927
No. 1050.

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(3) Br Please put up a Dft. minute dated

MW 8/3

OFFICE
14 MAR. 27
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(4) Dft. Submitted. - May perhaps be AV 9-3-27 HK sent to the Dewan also 9/3 before issue MW 10/3

Secy

2nd Member

h 10/3 MW 10/3

OFFICE OF THE
SECOND MEMBER OF COUNCIL
11 MAR. 1927
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(5) (Please send us a clean copy of the draft in duplicate with h) Dewan's opns

h 14th. approved CSK 12/3

(6) Attended to HK 14/3/27

(7) Copy sent HK 15/3 MW 15/3 19 DHK 15/3

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Received on
22. MAR. 1927
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18 MAR. 1927
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Final Note by the Third Member of Council.

Subject :— Succession to the Sri Avani Mutt in the Kolar District.

In continuation of the Second Member's Final Note dated the 10th January 1927 in the matter of succession to the Sri Avani Mutt, I beg to state that in Government Order No.1313/Muz.268-24-31, dated the 21st January 1927, the Muzrai Commissioner was requested to suggest, after consulting some respectable disciples of the Mutt, the names of three Brahmacharis who are disciples of the Mutt for the selection of a Guru. In his letter No.C.1226/1924-25, dated the 21st February 1927, the Muzrai Commissioner has reported that it has not been possible to do this and stated that the object in view will be best served by inviting applications and making a selection from among the applicants. On this recommendation, the Second Member of Council has recorded as his opinion (Vide his minute dated the 7th March 1927) that a Committee may again be constituted for advising Government in choosing a Brahmachari for the headship of the Mutt. He is not in favour of the Muzrai Commissioner's proposal to publish a notice in the Gazette inviting applications as the choice has to fall upon a Brahmachari who belongs to a respectable orthodox family and who gives promise of becoming a man of learning and of character. The new Committee will be requested to obtain information in regard to Brahmacharis likely to be found suitable, interview them and then make a final recommendation to Government. The Committee might consist of five members with the Muzrai Commissioner as the Chairman and Mr. Virupaksha Sastry or Mr. Vaidyanatha Sastry, as an eminent Pandit whose advice in regard to the choice of a person for the headship of a Mutt

Mutt would be most valuable, and four gentlemen who are disciples of the Avani Mutt (of whom, if possible, two Vaidikas and two Lowkiks) as members. The Deputy Commissioner of Kolar might be required to make enquiries through some functionary of the Mutt as to who are the more prominent of the disciples of the Mutt - not necessarily members of the Velnad Community - and send to the Muzrai Commissioner a list of about 20 names of such disciples and from among these the Muzrai Commissioner may propose for the approal of Government four names.

30 The Dewan and myself have agreed to the course of action suggested by Mr. Krishna Rao. It is proposed to request the Muzrai Commissioner to take action on the lines indicated above.

31 The papers are submitted for the gracious perusal of His Highness and approval to the draft letter to the Muzrai Commissioner.

32 C S Balasundaram

MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

Bangalore,
19th March 1927.

Submitted to His Highness.

I submit herewith a Final Note by the. Third

Member of Council on the subject of succession to

the Sri Avani Mutt in the Kolar District,

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for His Highness' gracious approval.

Bangalore,
22 March 1927.

Mirza M. Ismail

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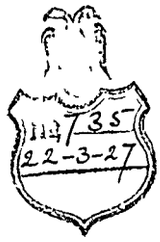
of His Highness the Maharaja.



Subject.

Formation of a committee for selecting a successor to the Sri A Mutt in the Kolar District.

Order.

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Serial No. 2.

To, The Mer Commrs
No 1909 & 4.4.27
Issues instructions in the matter of taking further action for the selection of a suitable successor to the matt.

3rd Subd for perusal & Mr's orders
The letter has issued —

Mr
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Mr
Mud Member) CSJ
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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARIAT COUNCIL
- 6 APR. 1927
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3 From, the Private Secretary to H.H. The Maharaja.
D.m. no. 1872 & 5.4.27.
Forwards for disposal, memorial from Mr B.S. Seshanarayana Shastry Son of Brahma Vidyanidhi Marahi Swamy in Peruvalanallur, applying for the vacant Pedathanam A Off. forwarding the petition in connn & Sl. 2, is submd for appl.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARIAT COUNCIL
4 APR 1927
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4	To, The Madras Govt. Letter no. 2046 dt 19.4.27. Forwards in copy, application from Mr. B.S. Seetharama Shastry rep. to applying for the vacant Peetah.
5	From, the Mad. Govt. Letter no. C. 1226 dt 30.5.1927 Recommends the formation of a new Committee with the Mad. Govt. as chairman. M. Secty's order: — Dft. appg. Dft. submr. 2.6.1927

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for appl

Second Member

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6.	To, Mad. Govt. No. 2328 dt 7-6-27 Stating that Govt approve of his proposal to place him in communication with the Mad. Govt. in taking further action

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Rect. Receipt Submitted.

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DEWAN'S OFFICE. Received on 22. SEP. 1927 Reg. No. 2172

From, The Muzrai Comr
Letter no C. 1226 dt 13 9 1927.
Reports that the new Committee constituted for the Selection of a Jurr, has unanimously Selected Rev. M. S. Krishna Murthi who is connected with the premises Swamis, and has passed school Trial exn with Sanskrit as Second language, and recommends Sanction to the said Selection &c
48) U. Secty's order:— "Dft. Sanction and D. 7 n."
49) Submr. with a Dft. order and D. 7 n

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50) Draft revised & put up, as directed.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF COUNCILS 21 SEP. 1927 No. 1593

Dft 50(1 DT-N) submr for consideration

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Second Member
Dewan
53 54 Final Note is read by the Member is put up.

48 21/9 55 Subd with D&N

MRS 21/9

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Dewan

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Final Note by the Second Member of Council.

Subject:—

57 Succession to the Sri Avani Mutt in the Kolar District.

A 56 In continuation of the Third Member's Final Note dated 19th March 1927 in the matter of succession to the Sri Avani

B Mutt, I beg to state that in letter No. 1909/Muz. 268-26-2 dated 4th April 1927, it was directed that a fresh Committee consisting of five members with the Muzrai Commissioner as Chairman be formed to obtain information in regard to suitable candidates and make a recommendation to Government as to who might be selected. The

1. Mimamsa Kantirava Brah: Vaidyanatha Sastry of the Indian Sanskrit Institute, Bangalore.	Vaidiks.	
2. Mr. M.Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore	Lowkikas.	
3. " V.B.Srikantiah, Proprietor, Messrs V.B.Subbiah & Sons, Bangalore.		
4. Brah. Vedanti Parasurama Shastry Ulsoorpet, Bangalore.	Vaidiks.	
5. Brah. Narasimha Sastry, Retired Kannada Pandit, Kolar.		

C Muzrai Commissioner proposed the marginally noted gentlemen as members. This was sanctioned in letter No. 2328 dated 7th June 1927.

E 2. The Muzrai Commissioner now reports that the Committee first met at Kolar on 13th July 1927 and as decided by it, applications for the Headship of the Mutt were invited from intending candidates by means of advertisement in certain important Newspapers in and outside the State. Certain applications were received and at the final meeting of the Committee on 13th September 1927 when all the members, except Ved. Meemamsa Kantirava Vaidyanatha Sastry, were present, the candidates were interviewed by the members. As the result of their deliberations, the Committee came to the unanimous conclusion that Ved. M.S.Krishna Murthi, in view of his higher educational qualifications, namely, having passed the School Final Examination with Sanskrit as

Second

Second Language, and of his connection with the three previous Swamigalus of this Mutt by blood relationship, was the best among the candidates. The Muzrai Commissioner has submitted a copy of the Proceedings of the Meeting and recommends that the selection made by the Committee may be sanctioned. The choice of the Committee has fallen on the same person as had been recommended for the vacant Peetah by His Holiness the Sringeri Swami: vide the Sringeri Mutt Agent's letter dated 23rd October 1926.

3. I am of opinion that the recommendation may be sanctioned and solicit the gracious approval of His Highness thereto.

4. On receipt of orders, the Muzrai Commissioner will be instructed to arrange, in communication with the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar, to fix an early date for inducting the selected Vatu Ved: M. S. Krishna Murthi into Sanyasa Asrama and installing him as Swamy to the vacant Peetah with all formalities.

Bangalore,
21st September 1927.

M. N. Venkata Rao
MEMBER OF COUNCIL.

Submitted to His Highness.

Sir, I beg to submit herewith for the gracious approval of His Highness to the proposal made therein a Final Note by the Second Member of Council regarding the succession to the Sri Avani Mutt in Mulbagal Taluk in Kolar District.

Bangalore,
22nd Sep. 1927.

Mirza M. Ismail

Record of Cases submitted for the Orders of His Highness the Maharaja.

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Subject.

Selection of a successor to the Sri Avani Mutt in the Mulbagal Taluk.

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Serial No. 8.

To, Mem Coch^r., Rev Com^r, Comptr & Supt. Rev Survey & Settlements
No 530-33 Dt 29.9.27
Sanctions the
Succession of Ved. M S. K Mutt
to the Matt & requests the
M.C. to take steps for
inducting Brahmachari into Sanyasam &
installing him as the
Swamy of the Matt

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No. C/1226/24-25

OFFICE OF THE MUZRAI COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE.

Bangalore, 10th February 1927.
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FROM

P. G. D'Souza, Esquire., B.A., B.L.,
MUZRAI COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

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GEN. & REV. SECRETARIAT.
21 FEB 1927
MUZRAI
D. 1185

TO

B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Financial Department.

Muz 268-26-1

SIR,

With reference to Government Proceedings No. 1313/F.P.268-24-31 -- dated 31st January 1927 re nomination of a disciple to the Agali Matha, I have the honor to state that in pursuance of the instructions contained in para 6 of the order the memorially noted gentlemen who are disciples -- of the Matha were requested -- to forward the names of three Brahmacharis who belong to the Velnad community and who are eligible in every respect for the Peeta. Replies from all the except Mr. K. Venkatakrishnaiah have been -- received so far.

Mahamahopadhyaya Brahmasri Siva Sankara Sastry while suggesting that it is necessary to consult disciples outside Mysore, has to be excused from taking part in these proceedings in view of his -- age.

Mr. Sarvothama Rao says that time till the appointment may be allowed to make his suggestions in the matter.

Mr. K. Suraiya, Secretary of the Velnad Sabha has also sent the names of two candidates, viz., Krishnamurti and Subramanya. The latter is the son of Sri Omkaranandaji who claims to succeed to the Peeta has been received by Government.

Mr. V.B. Srikantaiya suggests certain elaborate arrangements -- and the appointment of a committee to recommend to Government a suitable candidate, worthy of the traditions of the Matha.

3. From the above summary of the fact
system of selection by consulting individual gentl
very successful in as much as they either want more time or
want to commit themselves by giving any names. I am therefore of
opinion that the object in view will be best served by inviting --
applications and making a selection from among the applicants. The
Committee already appointed may be made operative with modifications
if any, in its personnel or a fresh committee may be constituted --
for making the selection. I solicit orders of Government to ---
publish a notice in the Official Gazette and in some of the news --
papers within and outside the State. The advertisement and other
incidental charges will be met from funds at the credit of the ---
Matha.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Agricultural Commissioner.

No 1909
Mg 268-26-2
8. 4th April 27

To

The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Adverting to correspondence ending with your letter No. C. 1226 of 24-25, dated 21st February 1927 in the matter of the nomination of a successor to the Avani Peetha, I am directed to state that in the circumstances reported Government consider that a new Committee may be constituted fo advising Government in choosing a Brahmachari for the headship of the Mutt.

2. I am accordingly to request you to ta take immediate action on the following -- lines:-

A fresh Committee may be constituted ~~consisting of~~ the Muzrai Commissioner as the Chairman and five gentlemen as members as under.--

(i) An eminent Pandit whose advice in regard to the choice of a person for the headship of a Mutt would be most valuable Either Mr. Virupaksha Sastry or Mr. Vaidyanatha Sastry who may be willing to serve on the Committee.

(ii) Four other gentlemen who are disciples of the Avani Mutt of whom, if - possible, two may be Vaidiks and two -- Lowkiks.

(iii) The Deputy Commissioner of Kolar may be required to make enquiries through some functionary of the Mutt as to who are the more prominent of the disciples of the Mutt - not necessarily members of the Valnad Community - and send you a list of about 20 names of such disciples and from

these four names may be proposed for the approval of Government.

3. The Committee may make such enquiries as they consider propoer for obtaining information in regard to suitable candidates and make a recommendation to Government as to who might be selected.

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Finl. Secy. to Govt.

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File No. 268-26

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Serial No.—

No.

To

General and Revenue Secretariat

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.....The Mun. Comr.

Sir,

Date of issue.....

Adverting to Correspd

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I am accordingly to request
you kindly cause to be put up at the following lines. A
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a person for the headship
of a Math would be

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

(*Continuation sheet draft form.*)

Letter Mr. Virupakhsa
Sastry & Mr. Vaidyana
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(2) Four other gentlemen who are disciples of the math of them, if possible two may be Vaidikas and two Laukikas

(3) The D. C. of Kolar may be required to make enquiries through functionary of the math as to who are the prominent of the disciples of the math — not necessarily members of the Vellalar Community and send to you a list of about 20 names of such disciples and from among these, the three may be proposed for the approval of Govt. ~~four names~~.

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DBS Mrs Gail C. Seeley

HK 9327

OFFICE OF THE DEWAN OF MYSORE.
Date of Issue 16/4/27
Petr Regr. No. 21.05

To

The Dewan,
of Mysore
BANGALORE.

Petition Fee
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SECY. & REV. SECRETARIAT
18 APR 1927
MUZRAI

ಮೈಸೂರಾಜ ರಾಜೇಶ್ರೀ ಶ್ರೀಮನ್ ಮಹಿಂಸೂರರ್ಸ್ ಶ್ರೀಸರ್ಕಾರಾಳುವ ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರಾದ ಶ್ರೀಮನ್ ಮಹಾರಾಜಾ ಸರ್. ಕೆ. ಶ್ರೀಕೃಷ್ಣರಾಜೇಂದ್ರ ಒಡೆಯರ್ ಬಹದೂರ್ ಕೆ. ಸಿ. ಎಸ್. ಐ. ಜಿ. ಸಿ. ಐ. ಇ. ಯವರ ದಿವ್ಯಸನ್ನಿಧಾನಂಗಳಿಗೆ.

ಕೋಲಾರ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್ ಮುಳಬಾಗಿಲು ತಾಲ್ಲೂಕು ಶ್ರೀಲತಾ ಶ್ರೀಅವಂತಿಕಾಕ್ಷೇತ್ರದ ಶ್ರೀಮತೀಯ ಒಕ್ಕಜಿಸರಾದ ಈ ಕೆಳಗೆ ರುಜುಗಳು ಮಾಡಿರುವ ಸಭೆಯವರೆಲ್ಲರೂ ಅನೇಕ ನಮಸ್ಕಾರಗಳು ಮಾಡಿ ಒರಿದುಕೊಂಡಿರುವ ಅರ್ಜಿ ವಿನಂದರೆ—

ಮಹಾಸ್ವಾ

1. ನಮ್ಮ ಶ್ರೀಸುರೀಯ ಶ್ರೀವಿದ್ಯಾಶಂಕರ ಭಾರತೀಸ್ವಾಮಿಯವರು ಸುಮಾರು 2 ವರ್ಷಗ ಳಾಯ್ತು. ಈ ವಿಷ್ಯವಾವ ಸುರಕ್ಕೆ ಅದುವರೆಗೂ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರನ್ನು ನಿಯಮಿಸಿ ಬರುವವಿಲ್ಲಾ ಕೋಲಾರ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್ ಹಟ್ಟಿಕವಾಸರಾ ಸಾಹೇಬರವರು ಕೋಲಾರವನ್ನು ಬಂದು ನಾಟಿಂಗಾ ಇಟ್ಟಿದ್ದರು. ಅದರಲ್ಲಿ ಒಬ್ಬ ವೆಲನಾಡು ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಚಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ನೇಮಿಸಬೇಕು. ಅಂಥಾ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಚಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ನಮ್ಮ ವೈದಿಕ ವಿಚಾರವನ್ನೆ ಶ್ರೀ ಶೃಂಗೇರಿ ಶ್ರೀಜಗದ್ಗುರು ಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರು ಪರೀಕ್ಷಿಸಿ ಬಾಕಿ ಲೌಕಿಕ ವಿಷಯದಲ್ಲಿ ನುತ್ತ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ವಿಚಾರಗಳಲ್ಲಿಯೂ, ತಾವು ಪರೀಕ್ಷಿಸಿ ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷ ರನ್ನು ನೇಮಿಸಬೇಕೆಂಬದಾಗಿ ನಾವೆಲ್ಲರೂ ಓಟುಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇವು ಪುನಃ ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿಗಾಪೇಪೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಬಂದು ನಾಟಿಂಗು ಮೇಲೆಬರಿಸಿದ ಸಾಹೇಬರವರು ಇಟ್ಟಿದ್ದರು. ಅದರಲ್ಲಿ ಮೇಲೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವಂತೆ ಬ್ಯಾ ವೆಲನಾಡು ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಚಾರಿ ಗಳನ್ನು ನೇಮಿಸುವದಕ್ಕೆ ಓಟುಗಳನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದೇವೆ.

ಈ ವಿಷಯಕ್ಕೆ ತಕ್ಕ ಮಡಿಗರುವಾರೆಂಬುವದನ್ನು ವಿಚಾರಿಸುವಲ್ಲಿ ಕೋಲಾರದಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಶ್ರೀಮಂತರ ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸ ಶಾಸ್ತ್ರಿಗಳವರ ದ್ವಿತೀಯ ಪುತ್ರರಾದ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಶ್ರೀಮಂರದ ಕೃಷ್ಣಮೂರ್ತಿಗಳವರಿಗೆ ಈ ಮರಾಧಿಪತ್ಯ ವನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟಪಕ್ಷದಲ್ಲಿ, ಈ ಸುರವೂ ಬಳ್ಳೇ ಅಭಿವೃದ್ಧಿ ಸ್ಥಿತಿಗೆ ಬರಬಹುದೆಂದು ನಂಬಿ ನಾವೆಲ್ಲರೂ ಶ್ರೀಶೃಂಗೇರಿ ಶ್ರೀ ಜಗದ್ಗುರು ಶ್ರೀಮದಭಿನವೋದ್ದಂಡ ಶ್ರೀಚಂದ್ರಶೇಖರ ಭಾರತೀಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರ ದಿವ್ಯಸನ್ನಿಧಾನಂಗಳಿಗೆ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪನ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆ ಬರಿಸಿ ಮೇಲೆ ನಮೂದಿಸಿರುವ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಚಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಕಳಿಸಿದ್ದೇವು.

2. ಅದಕ್ಕೆ ಅವರು ಎಲ್ಲಾ ವಿಷಯಗಳನ್ನು ಪರೀಕ್ಷಿಸಿ ಸಭೆಯವರಾದ ನಮ್ಮಗಳಿಗೆ ತಾ|| 23-10-26ರಲ್ಲು ನಂ. 1778 ರಲ್ಲಿ ಆರ್ಡರ್ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದರು. ಅದರಲ್ಲಿ ಮೇಲೆ ಬರಿಸಿದ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಶ್ರೀಮರದ ಕೃಷ್ಣಮೂರ್ತಿಗಳೆಂಬ ವೆಲನಾಡು ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಚಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಶ್ರೀಅವರ ಶ್ರೀಮಠಕ್ಕೆ ಆಶ್ರಮಸ್ವೀಕಾರ ಮಾಡಿಸಲು ಅಪ್ಪಣೆ ಕೊಡಿಸಬೇಕೆಂಬವದಾಗಿ ಸೈಸೂರು ಸರ್ಕಾರವ ದಿವಾ ಸಾಹೇಬರವರಿಗೆ ಒರಸಿಫೆ ಎಂದು ಬರಮು ಇಧಾರೆ.

3. ತಾ| 17-7-26ರಲ್ಲು ಸೈಚಾಂ ಇಲಾವೆ ವರಂಗಲ್ಲು ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ ಮಹಬೂಬಾಬಾದ್ ವರಸ್‌ಮಾನು ಕೊಣೆ ನಿಯಮನರೂ, ವೈಶ್ಯರೂ, ಪುತ್ತು ಧೊರೆಗಳವರು ಮತ್ತು ಗೌರ್ನಮೆಂಟ್ ಆಫೀಸರನರೂ, ಸಪಾ ಸನಟಿಫೈ ಪಟ್ಟೆಡಿ ಚಿಲ್ಲರೆ ವೆಂಕಟಸುಬ್ಬಯ್ಯನವರಿಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಅಪೀಲು ಸುಪುರು ಪ್ರಸಿದ್ಧ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಯಲ್ಲಿ ಸಿದ್ದಿಪೊಂದಿದ ಸ್ವಾಮಿ ಗಳಪೆರ ಅಪ್ಪಣೆಯಂತೆ ಮೇಲೆ ಬರಿಸಿದ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಚಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಆಗಬೇಕೆಂಬದಾಗಿ ಒರಿಸಿಧಾರೆ.

4. ತಾ|| 15-7-26ರಲ್ಲು ನಂ. 301 ಆರ್ಡರ್‌ನ್ನು ಶ್ರೀಪುಷ್ಪಗಿರಿ ಶ್ರೀಜಗದ್ಗುರು ಶ್ರೀಮದಭಿನವೋದ್ದಂಡ ಶ್ರೀವಿದ್ಯಾಶಂಕರಭಾರತೀಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರೂ ಚಿಲ್ಲರೆ ವೆಂಕಟಸುಬ್ಬಯ್ಯನವರಿಗೆ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವ ಆರ್ಡರ್‌ನಲ್ಲಿ ಸದರಿ ಮರದ ವಿಷಯಗಳೆಲ್ಲವೂ ಯೋಚಿಸುವಲ್ಲಿ ಸಿದ್ಧಿಹೊಂದಿದ ಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರ ಅಪ್ಪಣೆಯಂತೆ ಮೇಲೆ ಬರಿಸಿದ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಚಾರಿಗಳಿ ಆಗ ಬೇಕೆಂಬದಾಗಿ ಒರಿಸಿಧಾರೆ.

5. ತಾ| 7-10-26ರಲ್ಲಿ ನಂ. 441 ನೇ ಆರ್ಡರ್ ಕೋಲಾರ ಟಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್ ತಂಬಿಹಳ್ಳಿಯಲ್ಲಿರುವ ಶ್ರೀಮಾಧವ ತೀರ್ಥಸಂಸ್ಥಾನಾಧಿಪತಿಗಳಾದ ಶ್ರೀಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸ ಸಾಧವ ತೀರ್ಥಶ್ರೀಪಾದಂಗಳವರು ಸದರಿ ಚಿಲ್ಲರೆ ವೆಂಕಟಸುಬ್ಬಯ್ಯನವರಿಗೆ ಶ್ರೀಮುಖ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿದ್ದಾರೆ. ಅದರಲ್ಲಿ ಮೇಲೆ ಬರಸಿದ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಚಾರಿಗಳಿಗೆ ಸದರಿ ಮಠಕ್ಕೆ ಆಶ್ರಮವಾ ಕೊಡಬೇಕೆಂಬುವ ದಾಗಿ ಸಿದ್ಧಹೊಂದಿದ ಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರು ಸ್ವಳದಲ್ಲಿರುವಾಗ ನಮ್ಮ ಅವರ ಸಮಾಗಮವಾದ ಕಾಲದಲ್ಲಿ ಹೇಳಿ ಇದ್ದರು ಆದ್ದರಿಂದ ಅದೇ ರೀತಿಯಾಗಿ ನಡಿಸಲೂ ನಮ್ಮ ಇಷ್ಟವೂ ಎಂಬದಾಗಿ ಬರಸಿದ್ದಾರೆ.

6. ಈ ನಾಲ್ಕು ಆರ್ಡರ್ ಕಾಪಿಗಳಲ್ಲಿ ತಮ್ಮಗಳ ರುಜು ಮೊಹರುಗಳನ್ನು ಮಾಡಿ ಅಸಲು ಕಾಗದ ಆರ್ಡರ್ ಗಳಿಲ್ಲವೂ ತಾವು ತೆಗೆದುಕೊಂಡು ಅವುಗಳನ್ನು ಸರಾಂಜಿಮಿಸಿ ಪುನಃ ಅಸಲು ಕಾಗದಗಳನ್ನು ಚಿಲ್ಲರೆ ವೆಂಕಟಸುಬ್ಬಯ್ಯನವರ ವರಕ್ಕೆ ವಾಪಸು ದಯಪಾಲಿಸಬೇಕೆಂಬದಾಗಿ ನಾವೆಲ್ಲರೂ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥಿಸುತ್ತೇವೆ.

7. ಮೇಲೆ ಬರಸಿದ ಬ್ರಹ್ಮಶ್ರೀಕೃಷ್ಣಮೂರ್ತಿಗಳವರಿಗೆ 1 ಸಿದ್ಧಿಹೊಂದಿದ ಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರ ಅಪ್ಪಣೆ 2 ನಮ್ಮ ಶಿಷ್ಯಕೋಟಿಗಳ ಅಭಿಪ್ರಾಯ 3 ಇತರ ಮಠದ ಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರ ಆರ್ಡರ್‌ಗಳು 4 ಕೋಲ್ಕಾರ ಮಾಟಿಂಗಾನಲ್ಲಿ ನಾವುಗಳು ಓಟ್ಟುಗೂಡಿ ಕೊಟ್ಟಿರುವುದು ಇದೆಲ್ಲವೂ ಘನಹೊಂದಿದ ದಿವ್ಯಚಿತ್ತಕ್ಕೆ ತಂದುಕೊಂಡು ಈಗ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನಕ್ಕೆ ಕ್ಷಿಪ್ರದಲ್ಲಿ ಅದ್ಯಕ್ಷರನ್ನುಂಟುಮಾಡಿ ಈ ಮಠಕ್ಕೆ ಸೇರಿದ ಶಿಷ್ಯಕೋಟಿಗಳ ಮನಸ್ಸಂತೋಷಪಡಿಸಿ ಅಪಾರವಾದ ಕೀರ್ತಿ ಪಡೆಯಬೇಕೆಂಬದಾಗಿ ನಮ್ಮಗಳ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ.

ತಮ್ಮ ವಿಧೇಯ,

ಹೈದರಾಬಾದ್ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದಲ್ಲಿ ಸಂಚಾರ ಮಾಡುತ್ತಿದ್ದು ಸಿದ್ಧಿಹೊಂದಿದ ಶ್ರೀಅಪೀಮಠದ ಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರಾದ ಶ್ರೀಮದ್ಯಾಕಿಕರ ಭಾರತೀಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರ ಅನುಮತಿಯಂತೆಯೂ, ಈ ಸಂಸ್ಥಾನದ ಶಿಷ್ಯಜನಗಳಾದ ಸಭೆಯವರ ಮೊದಲಾದ ಸಕಲ ಶಿಷ್ಯಮಂಡಲಿಯವರ ಇಷ್ಟದಂತೆಯೂ ಶ್ರೀಜಗದ್ಗುರು ಶ್ರೀಶೃಂಗೇರಿ ಶ್ರೀಮದಭಿನವೋದ್ದಂಡ ಶ್ರೀಚಂದ್ರಶೇಖರ ಭಾರತೀಸ್ವಾಮಿಗಳವರ ಅನುಜ್ಞೆಯಂತೆಯೂ, ನನ್ನ ಪುತ್ರೀಯ ಕುಮಾರನಾದ ಬ. ಕೃಷ್ಣಮೂರ್ತಿಯೂ ಆಶ್ರಮಸ್ವೀಕಾರ ಮಾಡಲು, ಇಚ್ಛೈಸುತ್ತಿರುತ್ತನಾಗಿ, ನಾನು ಈ ಕಾರ್ಯಕ್ಕೆ ನನ್ನ ಸಮ್ಮತಿಯನ್ನು ಕೊಟ್ಟು ಮನಃಪೂರ್ವಕವಾಗಿ ಒಪ್ಪಿರುತ್ತೇನೆ.

ಯಂ. ಶ್ರೀನಿವಾಸಶಾಸ್ತ್ರಿ,

ರುಜುಗಳು 280 ಕೋಲಾರ ಟಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಕ್ಟ್ ಸಭೆಯವರಾದ ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಗ್ರಾಮದ ಶಿಷ್ಯಮಂಡಲಿಯವರು

ಈ ರುಜುಗಳು ಎಲ್ಲಾ ಪೂರ್ತಿಯಾಗಿ ನಾವಿ ನನ್ನ ವಶಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದ್ದು ತಾ|| 27-2-27ರಲ್ಲಿ,

ಕೋಲಾರ,
ತಾ|| 17—3—1927.

ತಮ್ಮ ವಿಧೇಯ,
ಚಿಲ್ಲರೆ ವೆಂಕಟಸುಬ್ಬಯ್ಯ

ಟಿಟಂಟು.—ಶ್ರೀಆವಸಿ, ಶ್ರೀಮತೀಯ,
ಕೇರಾಫ್ ಜಿ. ಎನ್. ವೆಂಕಟೇಶಯ್ಯರ್,
ದೊಡ್ಡಪೇಟೆ, ಕೋಲಾರ.

ಅಸಲಿಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಕಾಪಿ

ಲಕ್ಷ್ಮೀನರಸಿಂಹ ಪ್ರೆಸ್, ಮೈಸೂರು.

To
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of Mysore
Bangalore.

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ಎಷ್ಯಾಜನರಾದ ಮಹಾಜನ ಬ್ರಾಹ್ಮಣರು ಮತ್ತು ವೈಶ್ಯರುಗಳು ಇವರಿಗೆ.

ಉತ್ತರ.

ನಿಮ್ಮಗಳ ವಿಜ್ಞಾಪನೆ ಪತ್ರಿಕೆಗಳು ತಲು ಅವುಗಳನ್ನು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ದಿವಾನ್ ಸಾಹೇಬರವರಿಗೆ
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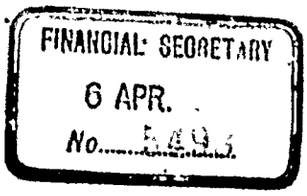
ಮೊಕ್ಕಾಂ ಕಲ್ಲಡಕುರಚಿ.
ತಾ|| 23—10—26.

{ [Sd] N. SRIKANTA SASTRY.
(ರು.ಜು.) ಎನ್. ಶ್ರೀಕಂಠ ಶಾಸ್ತ್ರಿ.
ಮುಂಜಿ.

ಅಸಲಿಗೆ ಸರಿಯಾದ ಕಾಪಿ

TO HIS HIGHNESS THE MAHARAJA OF MYSORE,

Mysore 5-4-1927.



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Petition, as shown below, to His Highness the Maharaja is transferred to the Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, Financial Department, Bangalore, for

Ans. 2-68-26-3

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No. 654 of 1926-27

Private Secretary
to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore.
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File No. 268

Serial No. 1926

Diary No. of letter replied to .. 1438

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

.... The Inuz. Comr. ....

Date of issue 19/4/27

Signed by M.M.M.V. Iyengar

Sir,

Adverting to correspondence ending with this office letter no 1909-Inuz. 268-26 dt 6th April 1927 conveying instructions in the matter of the nomination of a successor to Sri Avani Mattam, I am directed to forward herewith memorial no. 1438 addressed to H H the Maharaja by Mr. B. S. Seethanama Shastry, Sanga Brahmana, Vidyanatha Bharati Swamy

over (in Parmasivam)

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OFFICEOF THE MUZRAI COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,
Bangalore, dated 28th May 1927.
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From

P.G. D'Souza Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore,
Bangalore.

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To

R. Sreenivasa Iyengar Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Financial Department.

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With reference to correspondence ending with your let No.1900/F.F. 283.26 dated 4th April 1927 in the matter of the nomination of a successor to the late Peeta, I have the honour to state that a committee consisting of the under mentioned gentlemen may be constituted with the Muzrai Commissioner as chairman.

1. Mimamsa Kantirava Brah. Vidyanidhi Sastry,
of the Indian San Institute, Bangalore.

2. Mr. M.Venkatappa Shetty,
Mysore.

3. Mr.V.P. Venkatasubba Rao, proprietor
Messrs V.P. Govindaraja Rao Sons,
Bangalore

4. Brah. Vedanti Lakshmikanta Sastry,
Ulsoorpet, Bangalore.

5. Brah. Narasimha Sastry,
Peetadhipathi Math Bangalore

Vakil.

From enquiries made I am sure that all the above except Brah. Vidyanidhi Sastry are residents of the Kolar.

On receipt of Government approval I shall place myself in communication with the gentlemen, ascertain from them whether they are willing to serve on the Committee and take all necessary further action in the matter on the lines laid down in your letter under reply.

I have the honour to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

Muzrai Commissioner

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Date of issue 7/6-27

Signed by M. Venkatesa Iyengar

Section Mun

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No. 2328

To The Mun Comr

Bangalore

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter no C1226/24-25 dated 30th May 27 proposing the personnel for a new committee for selecting a successor to the Avani Peetha I am directed to state that Govt approve of your placing yourself in comm with the gentlemen mentioned in your letter and ascertaining if they are willing to work on the Committee. Further action may be taken as suggested in your letter.

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IN MYSORE,

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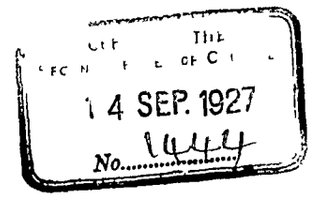

FROM A.K. Syed Taj Pecran Esq., B.A.,
Muzrai REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE.

To

Financial
The Chief Secretary to the Government
of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
Bangalore.
(Muzrai)

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SIR,

With reference to your letter No.2328/Muz.268-26 dated the 7th June 1926, conveying the approval of Government to the formation of a Committee for the selection of a Swamigalu for the Sri Avani Mutt, Mulbagal Taluk, I have the honor to state that the Committee first met at Kolar on the 13th July 1927 and as decided by it, applications for the Headship of the Matha were invited from intending candidates by means of advertisement in certain important newspapers in and outside the State, viz., Sachvi, Prajamitra, Vrittanta Patrika, Hindu and Andhra Patrika which comprise Kanarese, English and Telugu publications A copy of each of the papers containing the advertisement is herewith submitted. In response to the advertisement, there were only 4 applications (herein enclosed). These were considered at a meeting held on the 27th August 1927 and the only candidate present, viz., M/S. Krishnamurti, was interviewed by the members. It was resolved at this meeting (vide copy of Proceedings enclosed) that a final decision may be arrived at on the date of the next meeting, viz., 4-9-1927, with the intention of securing the presence of the remaining two members, viz., Mr. M. Venkatakrishniah and Vedamurti Meenamsakanthirava Vydyanatha Sastri. These were not able to be present even on the 4th September. Two more candidates, viz. Subbarama Rao and Mrithyunjeya who are brothers, were produced by Mr. D. Sarvothama Rao with his application dated 29-8-27 herein enclosed and were interviewed by the Committee members present on

this date and the final decision was again reserved for the next meeting which was fixed for the 13th September 1927. On this date all the members except Vedamurti Meemamsakanthirava Vydyanatha Sastriar were present. The three boys(M.S. Krishnamurti, Subbarama Rao and Krityunjeya) were again interviewed by the members who as the result of their deliberations came to the unanimous conclusion that M.S. Krishnamurti was in view of his higher educational qualifications, having passed the School Final examination with Sanskrit as second language, and his connection with the 3 previous Swamigalus by blood relationship, the best among the candidates and that a recommendation may be sent up to Government in favour of the above candidate to succeed to the vacant Avani Matt Peetha. I enclose herein a copy of the Proceedings of the meeting and beg that Government may be pleased to sanction the selection made by the Committee. On receipt of Government Orders accepting the above recommendation, I shall arrange in communication with the Deputy Commissioner to fix an early date for inducting the accepted candidate into Sanyasa Asrama and instal him as Swami of the vacant Peetha.with all formalities.

2. The connected records are herewith submitted for kind reference and return.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

Offg. Muzrai Commissioner.

M.R.R.

Proceedings of the Avani Matt Committee meeting held on 13-7-27 at Kolar in the Court Hall of the Deputy Commissioner.

Present:--

1. The Muzrai Commissioner.
2. Mr.M. Venkatakrishnaiah
3. Mr. V.B.Srikantaiah
4. Mr. Narasimha Sastry

Came later after the meeting was closed. The proceedings were read out to him and he expressed his agreement to the resolutions passed by the other --- members.

1. Chillare Venkatasubbiah appeared before the --- Committee and represented that one Krishna Murti, son of Srinivasa Sastry, had been thought of by the late Swamigalu as his successor, that the Sri Sringeri Swamigalu also favoured his selection, and that therefore he might be selected for the head ship of the vacant Peetah. The documents which were in his custody were also seen by the members of the Committee.

2. The members are of opinion that applications might be invited from the intending candidates through their guardians through the medium of important newspapers in the State and outside. The applications must -- reach the Muzrai Commissioner before the 15th of ---- August. The next meeting may be held on the 27th of August at 8-30 A.M. in the Muzrai Commissioner's Office, Bangalore. All the candidates must be asked to be present before the Committee.

Notices should be issued to Krishna Murti, son of Srinivasa Sastry, and Sitharama Sarma, to appear ---- before the Committee on the 27th.

Applications should be called for by advertising in the Hindu, Andhra Patrika, Sadhvi, and Vrithanta Patrika.

The following particulars may be called for from the candidates.

Applications should be countersigned by the --- guardians. The candidates should not be above 10 -- years of age. The candidate must be a Brahmachari. He may belong to any Smartha Community but preference will be given to a candidate of the Vaidiga Community. Qualifications (1) in Sanskrit and (2) in English of the candidate must be mentioned in the application. Whether the candidate has had Upanayanam. Whether any of his relatives were Vedadhyayis at any time and if so, when and of what part of the Vedas he performed in the initiation.

The application form must contain the above particulars.

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The representation of S. D. Sanyasiraja Row received by post was also read out to the members. It was -- resolved that - report be requested from the Executive Committee as to whether candidates from Mysore may be taken.

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Rathnaswamy Mudaliar
Secretary Committee
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Proceedings of the meeting of the Avani Matt Committee held at Bangalore on 27-6-27 (5-30 A.M.)

Present

1. Mr. A. K. Syed Taj Ikram (Muzrai Commissioner in the Chair)

2. Mr. V.P. Srikantiah

3. Mr. Narasimha Sastri

4. Mr. Vedantam Narasurama Sastri

1. The four applications from candidates viz. (1) R. Narasimha Rao, (2) Brahmanandam garu (3) I.S. Krishna Murthi and (4) D.V. Narasimha Rao were read out to the members of the Committee. As No.2 (Brahmanandam garu) is of recent origin his application was not considered.

Objections & Affidavits received from (1) P. Ramaswami (2) the Private Secretary to the Sringeri Jagadguru Sri Vidyashankara Sri Bharathi, Tumkur (3) Mr. K.V. Krishna Sastry, Agent of Sri Jagadguru Shankara Charya Brahmi Vidyaranya Bharathi etc also read out to the members. The objection of P. ----- Ramaswami is against the selection of I.S. Krishna Murthi. No.2 has pointed out that appointment should be made under the guidance of its Swamiji. The Committee consider that as no decision has been arrived at in the matter of selecting a successor to the late --- Swamiji, and as no steps have at all been taken as to who may be selected as the Swamiji of the Matt by the late Swamiji. In view of the pending Government passed by Tirumala Ad. on this question, further action is necessary.

Of the four applicants, viz. I.S. Krishna Murthi is present, the others being absent. Mr. Sarvotham Rao who had promised in his letter to be present Narasimha Rao is not present

present. Mr. Surayya who had suggested the name of Sri Sarma has stated in his letter of 23rd August that the ---- candidate has been informed to be present before the Committee to-day at 9 A.M. but the candidate was not present.

S. Krishna Murti was examined by Messrs Narasimha and Parasurama Sastry. They have given their recorded opinion about the qualifications of the candidate. This will be filed with the records.

It was resolved that the present candidates need not be summoned again and the final decision might be arrived at on 4-9-27 at the Committee which is to be opened at 9-30 A.M. at Tadepalle.

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Proceedings of the meeting of the Avadi Matt -- Committee held at Bangalore on 4-9-27.

Present.

1. Mr. A.L. Syed Rajeswar (Chairman)
2. " V.P. Srinivasaiah
3. " Narasimha Sastri
4. " Venkatam Narasimha Sastri.

The two boys (Subba Rao and Krishnaiah) brought by Mr. Satyanarayana were seen by the members of the Committee. The father of the boys (Mr. Krishna Murthi) was also present. Mr. Venkata Krishnaiah, one of the members of the Committee, in attendance requested that the question of the report of the other two boys who were absent might be postponed to 5th instant at 9 a.m. The fathers of the boys were asked to be present on that day. After some -- preliminary talk the two boys were sent away (Messrs M. Venkatasubbaiah & Venkatanarasimha Sastri). The witness were [illegible].

(Sd.) A.L. Syed Rajeswar.
Chairman.
4-9-27.

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Proceedings of the meeting of the Avani Matt -- Committee held at Bangalore on 4-9-27.

Present.

1. Mr. A.K. Syed Haji Peerar (Chairman)
2. " V.P. Srinivasaraja
3. " Narasimha Sastri
4. " Vedantam Parasurama Sastri.

The two boys (Subbarao and Parthasarathy) brought by Mr. Sankaranarayana were recommended to the favourable notice of the Committee. The father of the boys (M. Krishna Sastri) was also present. Mr. Vedantam Parasurama, one of the members of the Committee, has written expressing his inability to be present at the meeting and has requested that the matter may be postponed. It was resolved that the meeting be postponed to 13th instant at 9 a.m. The fathers of the boys were requested to be present at the time. Subbarao's horoscope was returned to the father and Parthasarathy's horoscope was retained (Mr. Parasurama will call and take it). The boys were directed to appear before the Committee on the date.

(Sd.) A.K. Syed Haji Peerar.
Chairman.
4-9-27.

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Rathnagiri
Secretary
Committee
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Proceedings of the meeting of the Avani Matt succession Committee held on Tuesday the 13th September 1927.

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Present.

Messrs.

1. A.K. Syed Taj Ferran, Guzral Commissioner & Chairman.
2. M. Venkatkrishnaiah
3. V.P. Sreeramulah
4. Narasimha Sastri
5. Vedantam Narasuraju Sastrulu.

The proceedings of the previous meeting were read out to the Members present and the minutes of the meeting (Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya) who absented at those meetings. The applications (M.S. Ramaswamy Naidu, Subbarao Rao and Krishnamurthi) were again considered by the Members. The Members present were satisfied that M.S. Krishnamurthi was not yet 18 years of age, he passed the School Final Examination with Second Language and is not likely to pass the Pleader's Examination with Sanskrit as the second language. The Committee further resolved that the application of Sri Ramaswamy Murthi, son of Sri Subbaraya Sastrulu, be considered for the vacant Matt of Sri Avani Matt.

A.K. Syed Taj Ferran,
Chairman, 13-9-27.

M. Venkatkrishnaiah,
V.P. Sreeramulah.
(Vedantam Narasuraju Sastrulu)
Narasimha Sastri.

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Proceedings of the Government of H.H.

the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read.-

G.C. No. 1313/Muz.268-24-31 dated 21-1-27 requesting the Muz. Commr. to suggest in consultation, with some of the ~~respectable~~ disciples of the Mutt, the names of three Brahmacharies who are the disciples of the Mutt, to enable Government to pass final orders in the matter of the selection of a successor to the vacant peetah of the Sri Avani Mutt in Mulbagal Taluk, Kolar District.

2. Correspondence ending with letter No. C. 1226 dated 13-2-27 from the Muz. Commr. in Mysor on the subject of the selection of a Swamigalu to the Mutt.

Order No. S 30-33 dated 29th Sept 27.
Muz 268-24-8

In the G.C. read above, the M.C. was requested to suggest in consultation with some ~~of~~ the ~~respectable~~ disciples of the Mutt, the names of three Brahmacharies, disciples of the ~~the~~ Mutt, for the selection of a successor to the vacant peetah of the Avani Mutt in the Mulbagal Taluk, Kolar District. The Muz. Commr. having reported in his letter No. C. 1226/ of 21-25 dated 21-2-1927 ~~certain difficulties in doing the same that it was not possible to do this~~, acted on the lines indicated in this order a committee consisting of the marginally noted five gentlemen with the Muz. Commr. as Chairman was ~~finally~~ constituted to obtain information i regard to Brahmacharies likely to be found

1. Mimamsa Kantirava Brah: Vaidyanatha Sastry of the Indian Sanskrit Institute Bangalore.
2. Mr. M. Venkatakrishnaiya Mysore.
3. V.B. Srikantaiya, Proprietor Messrs. V.B. Subbiah & Sons, Bangalore.
4. Brah: Vedanti Parasurama Sastry, Ulsoorpet, Bangalore.
5. Brah: Narasimha Sastry Retired Kannada Pandit Kolar.

suitable interview them and then make a final recommendation to Government. The M.C. reports that This Committee first met at Kolar on the 13th July 1927 and invited applications for the Headship of the Mutt from intending candidates by means of advertisement in ~~certain important~~ news papers in and outside the State. The applications received were examined at the final meeting of the Committee on ~~the~~ 13-9-1927 and the candidates for the peetah interviewed by the members. The Committee thereupon unanimously selected Ved: M.S. Krishna Murthi, who is 18 years of age and who ~~was~~ has passed the School Final Examination with Sanskrit as Second language and is related to ~~the~~ three previous Swamijs of this Mutt. The Muzrai Commr. ~~requests~~ recommends that ~~sanction to~~ the selection made by the Committee may be Sanctioned.

2. Govt. are pleased to accord sanction to the succession of Ved. M.S. Krishnamurthi to the vacant Headship of Sri Avani Mutt. The Muz. Commr. is requested to take early steps for inducting the Brahmachari into Sanyasa Asrama and for his installation as Swamy of the ~~Peetah~~ Avani Mutt.

Fair draft) 21/9 Financial Secy. to Govt.

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To

The Muzrai Commr. in Mysore, Retd/ encls.
The Revenue Commr.
The Comptroller to Govt.
The Supdt. Rev. Sur. & Settlements.

Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

G. O. No. 530-33—Muz. 268-26-8, dated 29th September 1927.

Succession.

Approves of the —— of Ved M. S. Krishna Murthy to the vacant Headship of Sri Avani Mutt.

READ—

Government Order No. 1313—Muz. 268-24-31, dated the 21st January 1927, requesting the Muzrai Commissioner to suggest in consultation with some of the disciples of the Mutt, the names of three Brahmacharies who are the disciples of the Mutt, to enable Government to pass final orders in the matter of the selection of a successor to the vacant peetah of the Sri Avani Mutt in Mulbagal Taluk, Kolar District.

2. Correspondence ending with letter No. C. 1226, dated 13th September 1927, from the Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, on the subject of the selection of a Swamigalu to the Mutt.

ORDER No. 530-33—MUZ. 268-26-8, DATED 29TH SEPTEMBER 1927.

In the Government order read above, the Muzrai Commissioner was requested to suggest in consultation with some of the disciples of the Mutt, the names of three Brahmacharies, disciples of the Mutt, for the selection of a successor to the vacant Peetah of the Avani Mutt in the Mulbagal Taluk, Kolar District. The Muzrai Commissioner having reported in his letter No. C. 1226 of 1924-25, dated the 21st February 1927, certain difficulties in taking action on the lines indicated in this order, a Committee consisting of the marginally noted five gentlemen with the Muzrai Commissioner as Chairman was constituted to obtain information in regard to Brahmacharies likely to be found suitable, interview them and then make a final recommendation to Government. The Muzrai Commissioner reports that this Committee first met at Kolar on the 13th July 1927, and invited applications for the Headship of the Mutt from intending candidates by means of advertisement in News Papers in and outside the State. The applications received were examined at the final meeting of the Committee on 13th September 1927 and the candidates for the Peetah interviewed by the Members. The Committee thereupon unanimously selected Ved. M. S. Krishna Murthi, who is 18 years of age and who has passed the School Final Examination with Sanskrit as Second language and is related to three previous Swamies of the Mutt. The Muzrai Commissioner recommends that the selection made by the Committee may be sanctioned.

1. Mimamsa Kantirava Brah Vaidyanatha Sastry of the Indian Sanskrit Institute, Bangalore.
2. Mr M Venkatakrishnaiya, Mysore
3. Mr V B Srikantaiya, Proprietor, Messrs V B Subbiah & Sons, Bangalore
4. Brah Vedan i Parasurama Sastry, Ulsoorpet, Bangalore
5. Brah Narasimha Sastry, Retired Kannada Pandit, Kolar

2. Government are pleased to accord sanction to the succession of Ved. M. S. Krishna Murthi to the vacant Headship of Sri Avani Mutt. The Muzrai Commissioner is requested to take early steps for inducting the Brahmachari into Sanyasa Asrama and for his installation as Swami of the Avani Mutt.

B. SRINIVASA IYENGAR,
Secretary to Government,
Financial Department.

To—The Muzrai Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore.
The Revenue Commissioner in Mysore, Bangalore.
The Comptroller to the Government of Mysore.
The Superintendent, Revenue Survey and Settlements in Mysore.

Exd.—P. S. R. N.

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